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Sir:

In response to the November 30, 2009 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1-6, 8-17 and 19-24 are pending, with claims 1 and 2 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.